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Date: 5 Aug 1994 11:20:32 -0400

From: news.cerf.net!gopher.sdsc.edu!nic-nac.CSU.net!charnel.ecst.csuchico.edu!yeshua.marcam.com!zip.eecs.umich.edu!newsxfer.itd.umich.edu!europa.eng.gtefsd.com!

howland.reston.ans@ihnp4.ucsd.edu

Subject: 2m match..ARG! To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

i was wonding how EXACTLY a 2m match in made...i have plans from a old <not THAT old> 73, a 6 element 2m yagi, but i never made a 2m yagi. some plans i have are only direct feed ---o o--- but a match?

now...where does the braid of the COAX go? no where? and is the driven element a single rod...and no seperation?

Your help will be GREATLY appreciated!

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Date: 5 Aug 1994 04:50:19 GMT

From: ihnp4.ucsd.edu!newshub.sdsu.edu!nic-nac.CSU.net!usc!math.ohio-state.edu!howland.reston.ans.net!europa.eng.gtefsd.com!darwin.sura.net!aurora.LaTech.edu!

ems@network.ucsd.edu Subject: 900 MGHz FM To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

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Date: 5 Aug 1994 04:59:45 GMT

From: ihnp4.ucsd.edu!newshub.sdsu.edu!nic-nac.CSU.net!usc!howland.reston.ans.net!

europa.eng.gtefsd.com!darwin.sura.net!aurora.LaTech.edu!ems@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: 900 MGHz FM To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

Can anyone help get the circuits for FM transmitter/receiver in the range of 902-928.

I need the circuits for a project I'm working on.

ems@engr.latech.edu or 203 homer Ruston, La 71270

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Date: 5 Aug 1994 00:02:51 GMT

From: ihnp4.ucsd.edu!newshub.sdsu.edu!nic-nac.CSU.net!usc!math.ohio-state.edu!hobbes.physics.uiowa.edu!newsfeed.ksu.ksu.edu!moe.ksu.ksu.edu!vixen.cso.uiuc.edu!

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uxa.cso.uiuc.edu!rtclay@network
Subject: ??? Butternut Stub
To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu
In article <31rf8f$607@insosf1.infonet.net> darkon@ins.infonet.net writes:
>I recently purchased a Butternut HF6-V used.
>The only part missing is the 75ohm matching stub.
>Does anyone know what the length of it is????
>Any info helpful...
    DARKON@ins.infonet.net
The matching stub is 1/4 wave on 14 Mhz.
R. Torsten Clay, N40GW/9 n4ogw@uiuc.edu
Date: Mon, 8 Aug 1994 19:52:35 GMT
From: ncrgw2.ncr.com!ncrhub2!ncrcae!news@uunet.uu.net
Subject: chimney mounted verticals
To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu
>In article <CuOL38.51K@nntpa.cb.att.com> John D. Walker writes:
>I'd like to get some input on mounting a vertical on a chimney (traditional
>TV antenna location). My chimney is in excellent condition and is
>reasonably large (about 4 feet X 3 feet at the top). It is also about
>33 feet tall. I am considering an R5 or R7 or GAP Eagle. Anyone have
>experience (good or bad!) with this type of installation?
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                   John Walker
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                   N2ZGC/AA
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>ps. Just passed the code test at 13WPM. My test was multiple choice. IMHO
>someone who is "stuck" at 10WPM could pass a multiple choice
>test at 13WPM.
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John - I just posted to the wrong msg so I'll repeat here. I installed an R7 on
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John - I just posted to the wrong msg so I'll repeat here. I installed an R7 on the 2nd floor section of my chimney and it works great. The length of the antenna makes it a bit hairy to carry across the roof prior to getting it set up, esp at that height and with a steep pitch, but it withstands the wx pretty well. Hope this helps.

## 73 de ted / AC4CS

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Date: Mon, 8 Aug 1994 19:49:20 GMT

From: ncrgw2.ncr.com!ncrhub2!ncrcae!news@uunet.uu.net

Subject: chimney mounted verticals

To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

>In article <1994Aug4.164555.15398@newsgate.sps.mot.com> Mark Monninger writes: >Congrats on the new /AA...

>FWIW, I've had verticals mounted on my chimney for several years, first a >Hy-Gain 14-AVQ, then a Butternut HF-6, and now a Cushcraft R-5. My chimney is >concrete block, about 4x6 feet. and about 25 ft high. I use a wall type mount >bolted into the chimney using lag bolts into lead anchors. The R-5 is mounted >on a 10 ft pipe that puts the base about 6 feet above the top of the chimney. >While we don't have hurricanes here in Arizona, we do get some pretty >substantial winds sometimes, esp. in late summer (now). I've never had any >problems with the chimney mount (or the chimney). However, the 60+ mph winds we

>had in a storm last week bent the mounting pipe about 30 deg from vertical...no

>damage to the R-5 (and it dumped about a ton of dirt and a gazillion pine >needles into my pool...).

>73... Mark AA7TA>

Mark - I mounted an R7 on my chimney on the 2nd floor roof. Works fine but it was a bit dicey getting it up there. Fortunately WB4IUX who is much stronger and younger did the work but it is definately hairy, esp that high up. Otherwise it works great!

73 de Ted AC4CS

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Date: 9 Aug 94 14:26:20 GMT From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu

Subject: Ham-Ant Digest V94 #252 -Reply

To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

I'm on vacation until August 22. I'll read your message and reply when I return. If you need assistance with Emission Monitoring or Stack Testing, please contact Jerry Keefe or Jack Harvanek. Thanks

Alan Hicks

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Date: 9 Aug 1994 15:15:32 GMT From: pendragon!jalonso@ames.arpa

Subject: Q: Mods for the Satellite 700

To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

I was wondering if anyone has any mods that would open up the band around 300-500 kHz. Any other mods would be appreciated as well.

Jose

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Date: 8 Aug 1994 18:19:36 GMT

From: hplextra!news.dtc.hp.com!hpscit.sc.hp.com!rkarlqu@hplabs.hpl.hp.com

Subject: Question on FM broadcasts...

To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

In article <cf.2439.434@ledge.com>, Bob Albert <bob.albert@ledge.com> wrote: >The FCC has a band plan for the FM broadcast band that assigns channels >every 200 kHz, on odd decimal frequencies. So there are no stations >on the even numbers.

> > 73 DE K6DDX

True in the Americas. However, in the rest of the world, there are some countries which use the even numbers. That is why some radios tune in 100 kHz. steps (so they are "world" ready radios).

Rick N6RK rkarlqu@scd.hp.com

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Date: 9 Aug 1994 23:01:28 GMT

From: news.cerf.net!gopher.sdsc.edu!nic-nac.CSU.net!charnel.ecst.csuchico.edu!yeshua.marcam.com!zip.eecs.umich.edu!newsxfer.itd.umich.edu!jobone!lynx.unm.edu!

dns1.NMSU.Edu!@@ihnp4.ucsd.edu

To: ham-ant@ucsd.edu

References 1786, Loop, Antenna4

Subject: Re: RG58 versus Thin Ethernet

After considering many different options, opinions, and experiences, I decided to order the MFJ 1786 Hi Q Loop Antenna for my restricted patio home. In calling many mail-order firms, I find that none have

the unit in stock, that they haven't seen one in months, and they don't anticipate having any in stock for 2 or 3 more months. Either the antenna is terrific or MFJ is trying to sell vapor-gear. I might also mention that the mail order price is listed in recent ham radio magazine ads and catalogs as \$214-216 range not including shipping. The price over the phone is \$259-269 plus shipping. Something screwy going on. Anyone else having similar problems? Might have to go back to a different antenna scheme. One of the salesmen at a mail order house said that if he were boss, he would cancel the entire MFJ line. They've had nothing but problems with them.

Tim AB50U Las Cruces, NM

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